



General Assembly

## ***Amendment***

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**LCO No. 7656**



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To: Senate Bill No. **1028**

File No. 659

Cal. No. 571

(As Amended by Senate Amendment Schedule "A")

***"AN ACT CONCERNING THE TOLLING OF THE STATUTE OF  
LIMITATIONS FOR A NEGLIGENCE ACTION BROUGHT BY A  
MINOR."***

1 Strike subsection (b) of section 1 in its entirety and insert the  
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "(b) Notwithstanding the time limitation to bring an action under  
4 subsection (a) of this section, and except as otherwise provided in  
5 section 52-577d, 52-577e or 52-579, if a person is under eighteen years  
6 of age on the date when such injury is first sustained or discovered, or  
7 in the exercise of reasonable care should have been discovered, such  
8 person may bring an action, as described in subsection (a) of this  
9 section, within seven years from the date of the act or omission

10 complained of, or within one year from the date such person attains  
11 eighteen years of age, whichever occurs first, provided no parent or  
12 legal guardian was able to bring such action on behalf of such person  
13 within the time limits prescribed in subsection (a) of this section. The  
14 provisions of this subsection shall not be construed to provide any less  
15 time to bring such action than would otherwise be available under  
16 subsection (a) of this section. The time limitations prescribed in this  
17 section shall not relieve the party bringing such action from complying  
18 with the requirement under subsection (a) of section 52-190a that the  
19 complaint, initial pleading or apportionment complaint be  
20 accompanied by a certificate indicating that a reasonable inquiry, as  
21 permitted by the circumstances, has been made to determine that there  
22 are grounds for a good faith belief that there has been negligence in the  
23 care or treatment of the injured person."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>October 1, 2015, and applicable to all cases pending on and cases filed on or after said date</i>	52-584
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